

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Hiroki ITO, et al.

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Examiner: Hung Q. Lam

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136, Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a three-month extension of time extending to February 9, 2008, the period for response to the Final Office Action dated August 9, 2007. Please charge the fee of **\$930** for this extension (\$1,050 minus the \$120 previously paid) to Deposit Account No. 50-1314. The responsive paper(s) are attached.

Please charge any insufficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1314. A copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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